



PATENT

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Title: **Method for Still Image Compressing Using  
Filter Bank Based on Non-Separable  
Wavelet Basis**

Group Art: 2621

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Date: January 16, 2004

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Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
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**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))**

1. This is a petition of an extension of the time, for a total period of one month, to respond to the Office Action dated October 17, 2003 for the above-referenced patent application.
2. Calculation of extension fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)---(d)):

One month requested, the fee being \$55.00 for a small entity.

If an additional extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefor.

3. Extended period for response.

Based on the extension requested in this petition, the extended period for response will expire on January 17, 2004

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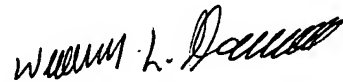
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4. Fee Payment.

Visa Form PTO2038 is attached in the amount of \$120.00, of which \$55.00 is payment for the Extension of Time. Please charge any deficit or credit any excess fees to our Deposit Account No. 50-0684.

Respectfully submitted,

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